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From: Lomeli, Ben <blomeli@blm.gov>
Sent: Monday, October 05, 2015 10:35 AM
To: Duncan, Doug
Cc: Jeff Simms; Simms, Karen M; Jason Douglas; Jean_Calhoun; Leidy, Robert
Subject: Re: Rosemont water impacts

Doug,

We (at least I) have not done any work on Rosemont this year. We do continue to monitor groundwater levels on the LCNCA.

Other than common sense clearly telling us that the pit **will eventually** dry up everything on the LCNCA, the **(BIASED)** groundwater model is the only way to predict affects on wells and all other water resources there (including wetlands and stream baseflows).

I did make review comments to the SIR - and still hold that all of the other SWCA "analysis" based on the same model results are fatally flawed and extremely biased.

Hope the BO recognizes this continued bias pattern.

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 11:22 AM, Duncan, Doug <doug_duncan@fws.gov> wrote:

Hey kids-

In all the additional analysis done the last year or so, did anyone look at how GW drawdown might affect the wells on the NCA? Since many stock tanks are now endangered species habitat, it's something we will be looking at....

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"One of the penalties of an ecological education is that one lives alone in a world of wounds." Aldo Leopold, 1953

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“We do not inherit the Earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children.” Native American Proverb.

"If you are neutral in situations of injustice, you have chosen the side of the oppressor." Rev. Desmond Tutu.